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# Crawford Avalanche

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VOLUME XLVIII

## M-14 CHANGING TO U.S.-27

SURVEYORS NOW BUSY RE-LOCATING ROUTE WEST SIDE HOUGHTON AND HIGGINS LAKES

State trunk line highway M-14 will soon be but a memory in the minds of the people of this part of the state.

Trunk line U. S.-27 seems destined to become Michigan's greatest highway and we look forward to the time when, in the early future, it will be solid concrete from the Ohio line to Mackinaw City. Grayling citizens may help to hasten the re-location of the highway west of Houghton and Higgins lakes by getting together with other interests along the line and letting the highway department understand the great importance this route is bound to become to the people of Michigan.

A party of surveyors with a Mr. Davis as chief, arrived at Michelson Saturday for the purpose of surveying the route for the re-location of M-14, which trunk line is now to become U. S.-27. The new route is being surveyed on the west side of Houghton and Higgins lakes, and then runs northeast from the north side of Higgins lake to intersect the present M-14 south of Grayling. This will shorten the route of the present M-14 nearly 15 miles.

This new route will be advantageous to Grayling, because it will make the shortest route north for tourists and will make it convenient for resorters now living on the west side of Higgins lake to drive to Grayling to do their shopping.

The State Highway Commissioner, Mr. Rogers says he does not know when this can be put on for construction, but hopes that contracts can be let the latter part of 1927, so the same can be completed in 1928.

### HELP OUR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

"Help us a dollar's worth."

This appeal comes from thirteen thousand crippled children in Michigan, pleading for normal bodies and health.

For more than five years, the Michigan Society for Crippled Children, with headquarters in Ann Arbor, has been attacking the problem. It has held clinics in several counties, conducted house to house surveys to locate children with bone deformities, attempted to educate the public in the understanding that most of the unfortunate children are crippled by causes that are preventable. It has now come to appreciate the problem as one that can best be handled locally, with such central support as will make individual effort most effective.

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### 12 CRIPPLED CHILDREN NEED HELP IN COUNTY

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 17.—Numbered among the 4,049 inhabitants of Crawford county are at least 12 crippled children who, if found, can be treated and partially or completely cured.

This is the estimate of the Michigan Society for Crippled Children, with headquarters established for the past five years in this city. Starting Thanksgiving week the organization will make an appeal for members to all of Michigan—its men, women and children. Crawford is expected to enroll 120 members, which is ten persons for each crippled child. The society purports to start in an aggressive manner a movement that will, it is expected, place Michigan among the first in finding and caring for its crippled youngsters. County chapters are being organized to this end, all over the state.

The banquet, consisting of four courses, prepared and served under direction of Mrs. Jess Bobenmoyer, was delicious, as those who know her expect. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Edwards and the wives of some of the officers.

M. A. Bates, in his usual pleasing manner presided as toastmaster, and in the beginning assured those present that each would be expected to have something to say. The officers were asked to tell what the people might expect of them during their terms of service, and if they all live up to their promises Crawford county may expect faithful and conscientious service in each department.

There seems to be a spirit of co-operation among the official family, with all pulling together for the great good and advancement of the county's interests.

Clinic workers who have invaded Crawford county report that the county nurse there has been instrumental in sending several cases to the University of Michigan hospital at Ann Arbor. The county chapter when organized will assist with this work and strengthen it by making this generally understood.

Hugh E. Vandewalker, Ypsilanti, president of the Michigan society; Paul H. King, Detroit, is treasurer; and Miss Alberta Chase, Ann Arbor, executive secretary.

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Only a couple more months and the boys will be making a lot more laws for somebody to break.

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## NEW CO. OFFICERS ENJOY BANQUET

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The death of Andrew Mortenson occurred at his farm home in Beaver Creek township Tuesday morning. His death had been expected for several days and all his family had been called home and were with him at the end. His health had failed nearly three years ago, up to which time he had been one of the most successful farmers in that neighborhood.

Mr. Mortenson was born in Hernig, Denmark, April 14, 1858. On October 29, 1882 he was married to Miss Carrie Hanson and when their first daughter, Clara was a baby they came to America and to Grayling in 1884. Here he was employed by the Salling Hanson Company for nearly ten years. He then bought the farm in Beaver Creek which was covered with heavy hardwood forest, and by careful work and good management made a happy and prosperous home for his family.

Clara, who passed away many years ago, will be remembered as a charming young woman and the wife of Bert Ashenfelter. Two or three other babies were lost in infancy.

Mr. Mortenson is survived by his wife and four children, Mrs. Frank Barker, Miss Lillian and Clarence of Flint and Hjalmar who is on the farm with his mother. There is a brother and sister in Denmark and a nephew, Peter Mortenson in Flint.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow, Nov. 19th, at 12:00 o'clock at the house and at 2:00 p. m. at Michelson Memorial church in Grayling.

The sympathy of many friends with the family. Mr. Mortenson was a kind and loving husband and father and a honest and worthy citizen.

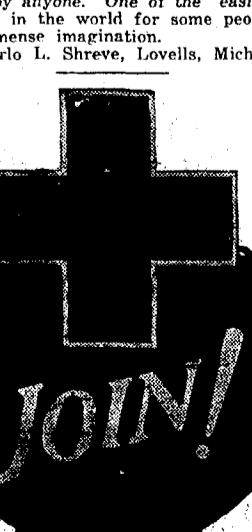
### DENY THE REPORT

Nov. 11th, 1926.

Avalanche Office, Grayling, Mich.

Orlo Shreve and Mrs. Shreve of the "Linger Longer Club" wish the people in general to know there is not one item of truth in the story reported circulated by Robert Jackson of the Shreves ever reporting Jackson to any game warden for hunting out of season. Such stories are very unpleasant to the ones who are not interested in the hunting of deer by anyone. One of the easiest things in the world for some people is immense imagination.

Orlo L. Shreve, Lovells, Mich.



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OSCAR P. SCHUMANN, Editor and Proprietor

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## Principal Events In Grayling 25 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES  
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 25 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, November 21, 1901  
Eli Forbush of Maple Forest was in town Monday.

The pipe in the salt well is pulled out for a readjustment of the pump valves.

A few choice bakers now in readiness at 14c. live weight. No charge for dressing. Wm. H. Niles.

Perry Richardson, ex-supervisor of South Branch township, was in town last Saturday.

J. C. Sullivan of Beaver Creek township now carries the mail between this place and Wellington.

Burnell Kropf of Hardgrov. P. O. wants cedar cutters by the piece of month. Top wages paid promptly.

J. K. Bates, superintendent of the poor was in town last Saturday. He brought an inmate for the poor house, from Frederic.

County Treasurer Coventry took a lay off Tuesday and visited in South Branch with the county school commissioner.

Miss Gertie Persons has been visiting her father on the farm near West Branch and reports the family nicely situated and happy. We are glad to know of their success.

A. J. Love has moved to St. Louis, Gratiot county. He came here with his father over twenty years ago, and has been well known and respected throughout the county. We regret his departure.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Hoyt of Maple Forest were shopping in town Tuesday. They were good and they are now ready for the winter's enjoyment that belongs to successful farmers.

W. S. Covert and W. F. Brink were out with their rifles Saturday, and both shot—at a red fox—which we suppose is running yet, as both are sure they were close enough to tighten the animal.

The sheriff's residence and jail is nearly completed and he will probably move in by the first of the month, and our prisoners now confined at Roscommon will be given elegant quarters in the new building.

The parties who have platted a summer resort on the beautiful shores of Portage lake were here the last of the week. They are enthusiastic over the prospects of their enterprise in which we wish them success.

The Electric Light Company are getting their wires and fixtures all in shape and will be ready by the time the power can be attached to the dynamo. They are driving piles to secure the wheel pit where they were bothered by quicksand.

John Rouse is home for a little visit this week. He was in the West Branch hotel the night of the fire, and might have been cremated had not the crackling of the fire awakened

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Secretary—John A. Love.  
Treasurer—F. H. Hoelsl.  
Overseer—A. B. Failing.  
Lecturer—C. Ingerson.  
Steward—E. Ostrander.  
Asst. Steward—A. Funk.  
Lady Ass't Std.—C. Feldhauer.  
Gatekeeper—Jas. Sullivan.  
Ceres—Mrs. S. Funk.  
Pomona—Dora Hoelsl.  
Flora—Martha Bebbie.

John A. Love, Sec'y.

Crawford County Grange  
Crawford County Grange No. 934 has been organized with 38 charter members. The officers are old pioneers of the county and have talked this thing up for some time and feel at last their prayers have been granted. We earnestly ask every farmer and wife to join us, and work with us. It is time the farmers done something for themselves.

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FROM PLANTER AT PLATTER AT CHICAGO EXPOSITION

The visitor to the International Livestock exposition at Chicago, November 27th to December 4th, will be able to obtain a complete picture of livestock production from the time the seed is selected for planting through the various stages of growing and feeding until the savory meat is served on the consumer's table.

Starting with the soil itself, models of an actual farm will show how a run-down piece of land was taken in hand by experts and put on a business basis in a few years. Adjoining this demonstration will be samples of numerous varieties of grains, seeds and hay, many of which have never previously been introduced to the public, together with specimens of the finest feed crops produced on the North American continent. The visitor may next inspect the educational exhibits of the United States Department of Agriculture and the State Agricultural colleges where he will find a great fund of timely and valuable information dealing with problems of seed selection, crop production and feeding, and be privileged to ask questions of the authorities in charge.

In the surrounding barns will be assembled outstanding representatives of the various breeds of beef cattle, horses, sheep and hogs, allowing an unexcelled opportunity to study breed types and make comparisons. Exhibits of cattle and sheep will illustrate the various methods of breeding up a herd or flock from ordinary foundation stock.

In the carload division will be found consignments of thin feeder cattle from the various breeding grounds of the country while nearby will be penned prime fattened

# 36 Days to Xmas

The Holidays will soon be here and it is safest to order your engraved Xmas Cards now. You will get better work and have them on time. Our regular Xmas Cards are now on display.

If you want any special Victrola for Xmas please pick it out now so you will be sure of delivery.

Xmas Candy—Whitman's as well as Lambert's. We will attend to packing and mailing.



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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1926

## Local News

To complete your laundry, have a Thor ironer—call 292 for demonstration.

Mrs. Ollie McLeod is ill at her home with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Mary Baird of Luzerne is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. S. D. Dunham and family.

Sloopy weather! Due to a combination of snow, rain, sunshine and cloudy days, mostly the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffman of Sigbee have moved into the Brott house on Elm street for the winter.

Richard and Clarabelle Lovelly of Bay City spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lovelly.

Buy the best Goodyear light weight rubber hunting shoes. Olson's.

Fred Aebl Jr. of Bay City is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers and also other relatives in Grayling.

Walter and Burton Shaw of Detroit are here for the deer hunting season and visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shaw.

Clyde and Edgar Dyer of Detroit are visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Clifford Chappell and family while hunting in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau Jr. returned Wednesday to their home in Ithaca after spending a few days hunting at Dave Kneff's on the Au-Sable.

A. L. Phelps of Mayville is in the city shaking hands with old friends. Mr. Phelps at one time was caretaker of the game preserve at the military reservation.

Paul Sivrais of Detroit is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais and family. He expects to remain in Grayling indefinitely and will move his family here shortly.

Clarence Gross, who has been attending Barbers' college in Detroit for six weeks, and has been employed in Rose City recently, spent the week end at his home in Grayling.



## Useful Gifts for Thanksgiving

Electrical Utensils provide an exceptional array of useful as well as acceptable Gift items for Thanksgiving giving. Let us show you our interesting display.

Grayling Electric Co.  
PHONE 292

Hunting footwear, gloves and mittens at Olson's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Murray of Detroit spent the week end at Murray Lodge on the AuSable.

Grant Shaw is taking his vacation from the Western Union office and has joined the ranks of the hunters, staying at his cabin on the AuSable.

Rev. Fred E. Hart, former pastor of the M. P. church at Frederic, but now of Palmyra, Mich., was in the county this week hunting and calling on old friends.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Michelson Memorial church will hold a fancy work and apron sale the second week in December. A light lunch will be served.

As next Thursday is Thanksgiving we will publish the Avalanche one day earlier. Therefore, we would appreciate it if our advertisers and correspondents would kindly get their copy in early.

The report of the annual session of the Board of Supervisors of Crawford county appears in this issue of the Avalanche. Taxpayers and others interested in county doings will do well to peruse this report.

The Woman's club are giving a benefit card party at Shoppemagan Inn this evening beginning at 8:00 o'clock. There will be both bridge and "500," and everyone is cordially invited to attend. The bill is 50¢.

Mrs. William Heric entertained the Ladies National League at her home last evening for their regular social meeting. Mrs. William-K Randolph received the prize package, one of which is given away at each meeting.

Ralph Warner of Detroit, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson was in the city last Friday enroute to Escanaba on a deer hunting trip. He was accompanied by Chas. Smith and Peter Darn of the same place.

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Mrs. L. J. Kraus has taken over the business management of the hardware store and is on the job every day giving it her personal attention. Russell Cripps will be retained as clerk. Mrs. Kraus is very energetic in everything she starts, and we are sure that she will be very successful in the management of the store.

The second meeting of the Good Fellowship club was held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Bauman. The club is studying the history, science, art and politics of the past one hundred fifty years of our country. A fine talk on history from 1776 to 1801 was given by Miss Harrison and a sketch on the folk songs of the same period was read by Mrs. Bauman.

This forenoon Sheriff Bobenmoyer was notified by the sheriff of Gaylord to be on the look-out for a Ford roadster carrying three hunters and with a young doe on the running board of the car. Sheriff Bobenmoyer went to meet the parties and escorted them to the county jail. This afternoon, John Emener of Detroit, one of the party plead guilty before Justice Kraus to killing the doe and was fined \$50.00 and costs and \$40.00 of the fine was remitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ellen to Arthur Waite of this city on November 1st. The couple were married at the Waite home by Rev. J. H. Baughn, ten guests being present at the ceremony, following which a very nice wedding luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Waite will make their home with the bride's parents for the winter. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. ElRoy Waite.

The first dinner of the season for the members of the bridge club and their husbands was given by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schumann at Shoppemagon Inn Saturday evening. The long table which seated 25 was decorated with a huge bouquet of pink pom pom chrysanthemums in the center and pink candles on either side. The evening was spent at the home of the Alexanders playing bridge, the high scores being made by Mrs. Marius Hanson and Dr. McCann.

A. W. Westphal, superintendent of the division of physical education of the department of public instruction, was a guest of Supt. B. E. Smith the fore part of the week. Besides paying an official visit to our schools he spent a couple of days trying to fill his deer license. Mr. Westphal has given much study to the problem of physical education. Among some of the statements he made was that his department is discouraging girls' basketball teams, claiming that in many cases serious physical conditions result from too strenuous exercise of that kind. Sometimes, he says, these conditions are not revealed until several years later. The department has been giving these matters extensive study and their conclusions have been arrived at only after painstaking effort, and consultation with physicians and women, who have had broad experience in girls' athletics.

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## "UNCLE JOE" IS DEAD



"Uncle Joe" Cannon is dead at the age of ninety at the family home in Danville, Ill. Life had slowly ebbed for the former speaker of the national house of representatives, whose iron-handed methods in congress had won him the title of "czar of the house." It was in 1873 that "Uncle Joe" first took his seat in the house as a representative from Illinois. Month by month he climbed toward leadership. He was born in a little Quaker settlement near Gilford, N. C., May 7, 1836. He retired from public life in 1921, and was generally regarded as one of the most picturesque characters in American politics.

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Senator Borah says the failure of the best citizens to vote endangers the United States. He's wrong. If they don't vote they are not the best citizens.—Houston Post Dispatch.

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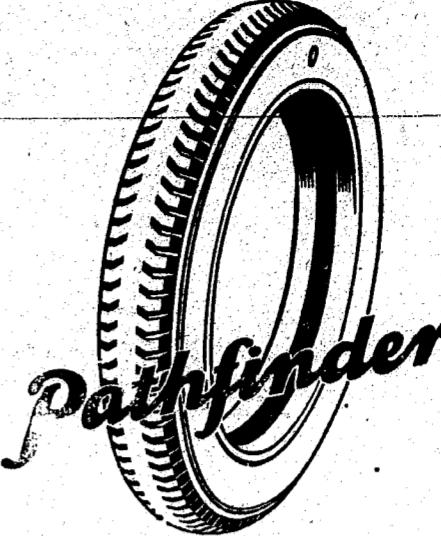
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Uncle Sam stands to get some.

It is "personality" now, but we notice he remains a

# OFFICIAL SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

Oct. Session Board of Supervisors  
1926

October 11th, 1926

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, commenced and held at the Court House in the village of Grayling, on Monday the 11th day of October A. D. 1926.

Roll called. Present: George Annis, F. A. Goshorn, A. J. Nelson, J. E. Kellogg, Rufus Edmonds, Oliver B. Scott. Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by the chairman.

The communications on file were read.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott that the communication from the Isaac Walton League be referred to the committee on Ways and Means, for consideration and report at this session. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Anis that the communication from the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau be referred to a committee of the whole for examination and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Annis, supported by Scott that the Board adjourn subject to the call of the chair. Motion carried.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means

To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Mich.

Gentlemen:

Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the matter of the communication from the Isaac Walton League, do hereby report that they have had the same under consideration and do hereby recommend that the requests presented be passed at this time. We do not deem it practical to provide payment for such guarantee as is requested, and we do not believe that this Board should obligate the county funds for such payment and that it would be an impractical expenditure of public funds.

Signed,  
GEORGE ANNIS,  
A. J. NELSON,  
OLIVER B. SCOTT,  
Committee.

Dated October 11th, 1926.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Edmonds that the report of the committee on Ways and Means be accepted, approved and adopted.

Roll called. Yea: Edmonds, Goshorn, Nelson, Annis, Scott, Kellogg. Nay: None. Motion carried.

To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Mich.

Gentlemen:

Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the communication from the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau do herewith respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and do recommend that Crawford County does retain its membership in said organization for the year 1927 and that the chairman and clerk of this Board be and are herewith authorized and instructed to take the proper action to pay to the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau on or before June 1, 1927, the sum of three hundred dollars as membership in said organization.

Signed,  
GEORGE ANNIS,  
A. J. NELSON,  
OLIVER B. SCOTT,  
Committee.

Dated October 11, 1926.

Moved by Edmonds, supported by Nelson that the report of the committee on Ways and Means relative to the appropriation to the Michigan NorthEastern Development Bureau be accepted, approved and adopted, and that Crawford county retain its membership in the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau for the year 1927 and that the sum of three hundred dollars be and the same is herewith appropriated from the general fund of the county, payable to said organization on or before June 1, 1927, and that the clerk and treasurer be and are herewith authorized and directed to make such payment accordingly, as membership fee in the said NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau for the year 1927.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Edmonds, Nelson, Annis, Goshorn, Scott, Kellogg. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott that the chairman appoint two delegates of this Board to attend the annual meeting of the NorthEastern Michigan Development Bureau and that the expense thereof be paid from the general fund of the county, and that the county clerk and treasurer be and are herewith authorized to issue warrant in payment of such expense on submission of an itemized account for the same.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Goshorn, Scott, Annis, Nelson, Edmonds, Kellogg. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Pursuant to the foregoing resolution the following named members of this Board were duly appointed: George Annis, A. J. Nelson.

At this time a delegation from the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross appeared before the Board and made verbal request for action to be taken to submit to the electors a proposition to provide annually a fund of two thousand five hundred dollars for said organization, to be voted on at the general election to be held in November, 1926.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG, Chairman.

FRANK SALES, Clerk.

Tuesday Session, October 12, 1926

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. Present: Kellogg, Annis, Goshorn, Edmonds, Nelson, Scott. Absent: None.

Report of annual jail inspection read.

Moved by Annis, supported by Goshorn that the report be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Report of Special Committee To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Mich.

Gentlemen:

Your special committee appointed at a previous session of this Board for the purpose of contracting and supervising the exterior decoration of the court house and jail buildings, respectfully report that they have

proceeded as herein directed and secured an estimate of the costs thereof and found that such estimate is in excess of the amount allotted by your Board for this purpose.

In accordance with the provisions and direction of your resolution, that no further could be had, it appearing impractical to proceed with the contracting for this matter, knowing that the expense thereof would be in excess of the amount provided.

Respectfully yours,

A. J. NELSON,  
FRANK SALES,  
MERLE F. NELLIST,  
Committee.

Moved by Scott, supported by Edmonds that the report of the special committee be accepted and approved and that the matter be passed for this session. Further, that the estimate submitted in the amount of \$600.00 be and the same shall be included in the county budget to be provided for the ensuing year.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Scott, Edmonds, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn that the matter of settlement with the county treasurer be referred to a committee of the whole for examination and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Annis, supported by Scott that the Board adjourn subject to the call of the chair. Motion carried.

J. E. KELLOGG, Chairman.

FRANK SALES, Clerk.

Wednesday Session, October 13, 1926

Board met pursuant to call by the chair.

Roll called. Present: Kellogg, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Edmonds, Scott. Absent: None.

Board called to order by the chairman.

Moved by Scott, supported by Nelson that the report of the Superintendent of the Poor be accepted, approved and adopted, and that the same be recorded in full in the minutes of this session.

Roll called. All members present voting yea. Motion carried.

Report of Superintendents of Poor

To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Michigan.

Your Board of the Poor Commission presents the following report for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1926.

We have tried to discharge our duties in an efficient manner. No person has been refused aid if found to be worthy. In all cases we sought to educate the poor to become self-respecting citizens but also alleviating the burden of the taxpayers of Crawford County.

Your appropriation to our Board for each of the former years has been \$8,000.00. This year we will ask you to kindly appropriate but \$6,000.00 to cover our year's expenditure.

Any suggestions that you may have to render us will be gratefully received and considered.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT LEWIS,  
EMIL KRAUS,  
GEO. W. McCULLOUGH,

Report to supervisors of Crawford county for year beginning October 1st, 1925 and ending September 30th, 1926.

Infirmary Expense

Funeral.....\$ 45.00

Medical.....214.25

Clothing and bedding.....48.25

Fuel and lights.....358.27

Foods and provisions.....2404.81

Telephone.....16.70

Soaps and disinfectants.....60.00

Gasoline and oils.....120.00

Supplies.....80.00

Repairs and upkeep.....58.01

Temporary Relief

Medical.....88.42

Food.....133.83

Fuel.....1032.78

Transportation.....9.82

Commissioners expense.....8.88

Permanent relief paid in cash.....285.00

\$4955.32

Refunds

Oct. 1925, Montmorency Co., for Elmer Webb.....\$ 167.05

Jan. 1926, Alcona County for David Short.....50.00

Feb. 1926, Alcona County for David Short.....100.00

Mar. 1926, Otsego County for Birdie Risdin.....2.58

May 1926, Alcona County for David Short.....50.00

July 1926, Ross Watts for sale of furniture.....75.10

July 1926, Alcona County for David Short.....50.00

July 1926, Arthur Wilbur for Elmira Wilbur.....100.00

Sept. 1926, Antrim County for Ella Hood and Thurston Fultz.....10.00

Sept. 1926, Alcona County for David Short.....25.00

\$ 629.73

Overdrawn Oct. 1, 1926.....\$1732.22

Appropriation by supervisors.....\$8000.00

\$6887.54

\$8269.73

\$6887.54

Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1926.....\$1942.19

Respectfully submitted,

EMIL KRAUS,  
Secretary.

Itemized Account of Help Given Out-side of Infirmary

David Short, Frederic:.....\$ 25.00

Groceries, Oct.....25.00

Groceries, Nov.....25.00

Groceries, Dec.....25.00

Groceries, Jan.....25.00

Groceries, Feb.....25.00

Groceries, Apr.....25.00

Groceries, May.....25.00

Olive Sturtivant, Frederic:.....\$ 225.00

Groceries, Sept.....25.00

Groceries, Oct.....25.00

Groceries, Nov.....25.00

Groceries, Dec.....25.00

Groceries, Jan.....25.00

Groceries, Feb.....25.00

Groceries, Mar.....25.00

Groceries, Apr.....25.00

Groceries, May.....25.00

Frank Hokey, Frederic:.....40.93

Groceries, Nov.....3.00

Groceries, Dec.....3.00

Groceries, Jan.....3.00

Groceries, Feb.....3.00

Groceries, Mar.....3.00

Groceries, Apr.....3.00

Groceries, May.....3.00

Albert Nelson, Frederic:.....15.00

Groceries, Dec.....15.00

Groceries, Jan.....15.00

Groceries, Feb.....15.00

Groceries, Mar.....15.00

Groceries, Apr.....15.00

Groceries, May.....15.00

Henry Depong, Frederic:.....82.95

Groceries, Mar.....17.70

Groceries, Apr.....10.00

Groceries, May.....10.00

James Wood, Frederic:.....37.70

Groceries, June.....3.43

Groceries, July.....3.43

Groceries, Aug.....3.43

Lawrence Faas, Frederic:.....12.00

**OFFICIAL SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS**

(Continued from Page 3)  
Report of the Committee on County Buildings

To the Board of Supervisors,  
Crawford County, Mich.  
Gentlemen:

Your committee on County Buildings to whom was referred the matter of roofing the county infirmary have respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and we do hereby recommend that the roof of said building be replaced with composition roofing at a convenient time, and that the authority for such action be and is herewith referred to the purchasing agent to carry out this recommendation and that the expense thereof be paid from the general fund of the county by the county clerk and treasurer who are hereby authorized to make such payment accordingly on presentation of a certified statement of account.

Moved by Edmonds, supported by Scott that the report of the committee on County Buildings be accepted, approved and adopted.

All members present voting yes, motion carried.

Report of the Committee on County Buildings

To the Board of Supervisors,  
Crawford County, Michigan.

Your committee on County Buildings to whom was referred the matter of the heating plant of the court house and jail buildings herewith respectfully report that they have had charge of the same since the matter was placed in their hands at a former session of this Board. We proceeded to investigate the matters pertaining thereto, secured estimates and proceeded with the work of installation of suitable individual plants for the court house and jail buildings respectively.

The type of furnaces determined upon were furnished by a local plumber, F. R. Deckrow and are being installed by him. The contract secured having been in our opinion reasonable in price and in addition to which is a guarantee of satisfactory service of each of said heating plants. We would further state that the contract price for the entire cost of materials, labor and such other items necessary for installation has been fixed by your representatives and the parties interested, at the sum of \$839.00. It is expected that the court house furnace will be complete and ready for operation on or about October 23, 1926 and we respectfully ask that upon such completion and acceptance of both said furnaces that this committee be authorized to certify the cost thereof to the county clerk and your authority be given for payment.

Signed,

A. J. NELSON,  
GEORGE ANNIS,  
OLIVER B. SCOTT,  
Committee.

Moved by Scott, supported by Edmonds that the report of the committee on County Buildings be accepted, approved and adopted and that the resolution relative to said heating plant heretofore recorded as appears of record on page 115, Journal 7, minutes of the Board of Supervisors, be and the same is herewith rescinded and held for naught and that the action of said committee as above reported be and the same is hereby confirmed by this Board.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yeas: Scott, Edmonds, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Annual Report of the Board of County Road Commissioners

To the Board of Supervisors,  
Crawford County, Mich.

Gentlemen:

Your Board of County Road Commissioners herewith respectfully submit the following annual report of the activities of that department for period beginning Oct. 1, 1925 and ending Sept. 30, 1926 included in which are the financial reports of construction and maintenance for that period pursuant to the plan submitted in the annual report of this Board. We have proceeded with the construction of County Road No. 1 in Lovells township and County Road No. 3 in Grayling township. These projects are extensions of the two roads mentioned and which in our opinion should be completed, the entire route within the designated distance of this incorporation in to the county road system and before the projects are left for other activities.

**Construction**

County Road No. 1  
This road has been taken over to a point north of K. P. lake in Lovells township and there is a remaining one and one-half miles for which there is no finance provision at this time. Due preparation is being planned to bring this road to completion and the necessity for the financing of this one and one-half miles. We would therefore request for the provision for four thousand dollars which amount is our estimate of the finance required to fulfill this plan and when completed will provide a complete route as far as same has been taken over. It is not contemplated to add additional mileage this year.

County Road No. 2  
This road was completed early this summer and has been open for public travel since that time. There are no further activities on this road and our records show that the three miles contained within this road were constructed at a little over \$2100.00 per mile.

County Road No. 3  
A continuation of construction on this road is planned. On investigation of the territory through which this extension will lay there are contingencies to be met that at this time makes difficult a thoroughly reliable estimate. However, this is an important and necessary and further extension should be made. We would recommend provision for \$5,000.00 to apply on this project which amount we anticipate will construct at least one and one-half miles.

**Maintenance**

Since January first this year the county has been relieved of connection with trunk line maintenance. Some expenditures were made during the latter part of 1925 and trunk lines which were duly remitted in accordance with the contract plan then in force.

County Road No. 1  
Our estimate for maintenance on this road is fixed at five hundred dollars which amount is necessary due to an extra  $\frac{1}{4}$  miles of road being that portion of old trunk line No. 38 north from Sherman's corners in Maple Forest township which

will be turned back to the custody of the commission this year.

County Road No. 2  
It is estimated that one hundred fifty dollars will provide the maintenance required for this road for coming year, and which is but three miles in length it is a new road and for that reason will require more attention than otherwise until it is worked down by care and travel.

County Road No. 3  
The estimate on this road is fixed at two hundred dollars. A portion of this road is new and will require more or less attention during the coming year.

**School Section Lake Road**

This road has been in service for some time, and due to that condition it will require more care during the coming year than it has annually had before. To shape the road in proper condition will require a minimum expenditure of one hundred fifty dollars which amount is submitted as our estimate thereon.

Therefore we respectfully submit the foregoing information and estimates together with the attached accounts of the financial activities for the period indicated on the several projects herein named and ask that provision be made for financing the projects as reported, viz:

**Construction**  
County Road No. 1 \$ 4,000.00  
County Road No. 3 5,000.00

**Maintenance**  
County Road No. 1 500.00  
County Road No. 2 150.00  
County Road No. 3 200.00

**School Section Lake Road** 150.00

**Total** \$10,000.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The Board of County Road Commissioners, Crawford County, Mich.  
BY RALPH HANNA, Chairman.

Dated October 14th, 1926 at Grayling, Michigan.

Attest:

FRANK SALES, Clerk.

**Expenditures**

Oct. 1, 1925 to Sept. 30, 1926:  
Construction \$11,143.19  
Maintenance 1,649.88  
Equipment 2,621.08  
Material 3,928.29  
General Expense 3,701.43

**Total** \$23,133.87

**Receipts**

Oct. 1, 1925 to Sept. 30, 1926:  
Construction 8,000.00  
Maintenance 13,736.71  
Equipment 2,816.31  
Material 1,181.79  
General Expense 148.06

**Total** \$25,882.86

**Classification of Disbursements for Year**

1925 Total Construction Maintenance Equipment Material Gen. Expense

October 4,786.97 2,944.50 \$ 506.55 \$ 273.01 \$ 695.47 \$ 277.44

November 2,733.82 1,304.08 256.88 47.00 596.69 584.97

December 1,205.70 217.35 139.75 397.49 143.24 307.87

**Total**

**Classification of Receipts for Year**

October 101.90 \$ 62.02 \$ 39.88

November 10.57 3.57 7.00

December 203.35 203.35

**Total**

**Classification of Disbursements for Year**

Construction

County Road No. 1 \$ 6,523.24  
County Road No. 2 3,556.95  
County Road No. 3 1,063.00

**Total** \$11,143.19

**Maintenance**

County Road No. 1 \$ 433.90  
County Road No. 2 29.70  
County Road No. 3 163.95

**Total**

**Supplies**

Clay 12.30  
Gravel 12.75  
Miscellaneous 610.49

**Total** \$ 2,621.08

**Equipment**

Repairs 1,700.49  
Miscellaneous 913.28  
Freight 7.31

**Total**

**Material**

Lumber 13.97  
Gas and oil 3,278.78

**Total**

**General Expense**

Supplies 11.56  
Miscellaneous 254.14

Employee's expense 1,457.35

Administration 681.60

Sup'l Salary 450.00

Car Hire 150.00

Traffic Census 68.60

Travel 130.27

Lights, telephone 60.56

Insurance 527.35

**Total** \$ 3,791.43

**Credits due the Material account chargeable to the various roads as follow:**

Construction Payroll Gas-Oil Dynamite Clay Gravel Total  
County Road No. 1 \$6,523.24 \$161.28 \$110.05 \$6,784.57  
County Road No. 2 3,556.95 210.20 32.05 19.02 3,789.42  
County Road No. 3 1,063.00 68.96 1 1,131.90

**Maintenance**

County Road No. 1 438.90 6.31 8.55 448.76  
County Road No. 2 29.70 2.32 30.02

County Road No. 3 163.95 11.26 175.21

**Total**

**State Tax**

Beaver Creek \$ 548.56 \$ 2,804.00  
Frederick 929.51 3,904.00

**Total**

**Co. Tax**

Grayling 4,060.89 17,056.00

**Total**

**Maple Forest**

Maple Forest 434.28 1,824.00

**Total**

**South Branch**

South Branch 876.15 3,630.00

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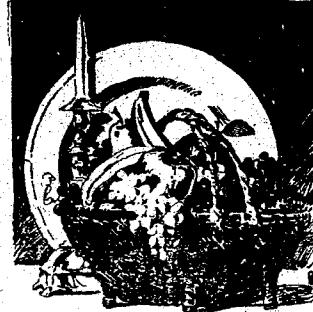
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**LOCAL NEWS**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1928

Buy Hunting Shoes and Boots at Olson's.

Frank Tetu is in Indiana on business for several days.

Watch for the big Anniversary offering for December at Grayling Electric Co.

Miss Winchell, county nurse has been visiting some of the rural schools this week.

Walter Hanson of Detroit is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Jorgenson.

Grayling high school debating team will go to Alba tomorrow evening for their first debate.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deckrow and children of Lansing are spending the week here visiting and hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley spent several days last week in Detroit, Lansing and Grand Rapids on business.

H. A. Cleinetson of Alpena is in Grayling this week enjoying deer hunting in company with some local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousson and granddaughter Laura Anne Rasmussen motored to Standish and Pincoping and spent the week end.

Mrs. Edward Borno of Detroit is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Ellerson, while her husband is hunting deer in Oscoda county.

Mothers: We now have a good line of wool hose for the children. The Evenknit, no better made.

Redson &amp; Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker, accompanied by Hersel Fairbotham and O. Allen of Lansing are guests of relatives and friends this week.

Big sale on 1 Maytag washer, 1 Eureka vacuum sweeper, 1 Kelvinator. Cash or terms. Call 292 for information. Grayling Electric Co.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary and those who wish to join are reminded not to forget the meeting at the Legion hall Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Husted are happy over the arrival of a daughter at their home Wednesday, Nov. 10. Mother and babe are getting along nicely.

Allen Failling has accepted a position as deliveryman in the Connine grocery. Al, is a veteran in the store line and is right at home in the Connine grocery.

Mr. Frederick H. Freeman and brother Leslie of St. Thomas, Ontario came here to spend the week end at the home of Mrs. Oslo Shreve, it being their Thanksgiving.

Rev. Kjolhede left Monday for Des Moines, Iowa to attend the silver wedding anniversary celebration of his daughter and her husband, Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Rodholm.

Alva Roberts of Caro and Henry Trudo of Lapeer are in Grayling this week deer hunting. The latter will remain for over Thanksgiving, a guest at the P. L. Brown home.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter, Barbara Mae on Sunday, November 7, to Mr. and Mrs. William Eastman of Detroit. Mr. Eastman was a former resident of Grayling.

Richly packaged in purple and gold—the superior line of toilet requisites perfected by the laboratories of Parke, Davis &amp; Co., at Detroit. Buy two items and get one free at Central Drug Store. Don't get left!

To give their employees a chance to fill their deer licenses on the first day of deer hunting season, the Kerry &amp; Hanson flooring mill was closed down all day Monday. This is a nice courtesy and is only one of the many kindnesses shown by this company to its employees throughout the year.

An error was made in the school notes last week in the item concerning the operetta to be given by the grades. The date is December 3 instead of December 6 and the entertainment will be held at the school auditorium. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Further particulars next week.

Mrs. Karl Wilson of Montrose, Mich., and Mrs. A. L. Coutts and children of Detroit, who have been visiting at the home of Arnold Lauridsen, left Tuesday for Montrose. Mr. Wilson, who was a former old resident of Grayling and has many friends here, remained for the week to try and fill his deer license.

John Nolan and nephew, Frank Burke of Lansing are in Grayling this week in quest of deer. Both gentlemen were former residents of Grayling for many years and still have many old friends here. Mr. Burke, who has never been back to Grayling since the family moved away, is enjoying meeting with many of his old school chums.

Mrs. Harry Reynolds entertained a number of little folks Saturday afternoon in honor of her son Dick's third birthday anniversary. Dick made his friends feel at home and they had a happy time. At lunch time the little guests were treated to a delicious lunch, the table being adorned with a birthday cake, holding three lighted candles.

"Apples is apples," but some "are" apples. And it is this latter kind that reached the editor of the Avalanche last week, bearing a tag marked, "Compliments of L. M. Edwards, Bangor, Mich." There was a whole bushel of them—"Stark's Delicious" and, while we don't know anything about Stark's, the delicious part of the name was exactly right. They were hand picked and it looked as though the picker had selected the finest apples from the best trees. It has been several years since Mr. Edwards worked in the Avalanche office but he hasn't forgotten the many warm friends he made while here. We haven't a doubt but that he took the keenest delight in so generously remembering us, yet not more keenly than is our appreciation of his gift.

Grayling Electric Co. announces that a penalty of 10% will be added to all cooking bills not paid by the tenth of the month following that in which service was rendered.



Goodrich Zippers for the whole family at Olson's.

Mrs. Allyn Kidston spent Sunday in Cheboygan visiting Mrs. Joseph Boulangue.

There will be a box social at Lovell this Friday evening for the benefit of the school.

Harry Hemmingson was fortunate in getting his deer Tuesday evening after his day's work.

Remember the sale starting Saturday, November 20 at the Gift Shop, 10 days only. Redson &amp; Cooley.

Mrs. Geo. Annie and her guest, Mrs. Lee of Jerome spent Tuesday with the former's sister, Mrs. Chris King.

Electric appliances are modern and appropriate gifts. See them on display at Grayling Electric show room.

Mrs. Wilhelm Raue of Johannesburg came yesterday and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Nelson. Mr. Raue is also in the city for a few days on business.

John Moon Jr. and wife of Flint are visiting at the Moon homestead in Beaver Creek, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hiss and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Steggall of Bay City were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillett.

Berl Baer and little daughter Margaret and a friend of Ypsilanti are visiting and hunting with friends and relatives here this week.

Among the many hunters here at this time are Mr. and Mrs. Lee of Jerome, Mr. Sweezy of Addison, Ed. Annis, Roy Cramer and chum Micky of Flint, all guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Annis of Beaver Creek.

The regular annual meeting and election of officers of the Grayling Board of Trade will be held in the club rooms, Tuesday night, November 23rd. Members, please be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Legner are entertaining several hunters from Detroit. The party have their headquarters at the old Hoessl farm, where Mrs. Legner is proving herself an artist in the cooking line.

Russell Beck, having decided to become an auctioneer, officiated as such at the Knapp sale last week where he gave good satisfaction and his friends think he will be very successful. He is to conduct an auction at Frederic this week.

The dance and box social at the home of David Knecht last Saturday night was well attended and enjoyed. A large table was piled high with many beautifully decorated boxes. These were auctioned by John Stephan and added to the merriment of the evening.

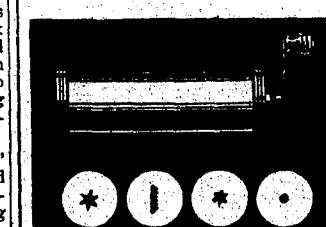
Mrs. Alice Wright of Detroit who has been spending several weeks visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roy Wright at the former Ponерь place, returned home Monday evening. Mrs. Wright came up from Detroit for the week end, returning home with his mother.

Among the local nimrods, who have succeeded in filling their deer licenses in the wilds of Crawford County are Carl Doroh, George Bielski, Walter Nadeau, Adolph Peterson, Ors Ingalls, Clyde Peterson, Esmond Houghton, Fred Bromwell, Peter Failing, Walter Hemmingson, Frank Rood, Carroll Vincent.

The program committee of Grayling chapter L. W. L. A. are now busy making things in shape for the annual banquet on December 2. It will be held in the Board of Trade rooms and all sportsmen in Crawford County are expected to be there. All members are requested to send in their dues and get another member to join. Remember the date—Dec. 2nd.

Esmond Houghton of Ann Arbor is here to visit over Thanksgiving at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Houghton, and has as his guest, William Cline of Ann Arbor. Tuesday morning one of the boys succeeded in filling his deer license by getting a nice big buck. This is Mr. Cline's first visit to this part of the north country and he is very enthusiastic about it.

Their many friends were indeed surprised when they received word of the marriage of Miss Agnes Wendt, formerly of Grayling but since September of Detroit, and Mr. Ernest J. Bissonette, son of Mrs. Hattie Bissonette of Grayling. The young couple met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis at Standish on Armistice day, November eleventh, and were united in marriage at one o'clock by Rev. David Shugg of the Methodist Episcopal church of Standish. After the ceremony they remained with their friends for a few days, returning Sunday morning. Tuesday evening a number of their friends called to welcome them home and wish them long years of happiness. They will reside in Grayling.

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Bill Smith of Detroit, formerly of Grayling, came up this week for the hunting and to visit his brother, Oscar.

Mrs. Harold McNeven is spending the week in Detroit.

Mrs. J. Kolka gave a party for a few friends and neighbors last evening.

Mrs. Arthur E. Wakeley of Sigsbee is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. L. Bausom of West Branch, who will remain at their home most of the winter.

Mrs. David Knecht and son Roger were callers at the home of Mrs. A. C. Wakeley Wednesday afternoon.

Ladies silk hose to the hem, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. All the new shades at the Gift Shop. Redson &amp; Cooley.

The new Easy Washer—a labor-saving device—an excellent gift. Grayling Electric Co.

If your feet get cold, see Olson. Walter Hemmingson and a couple of friends of Detroit are spending several days here deer hunting.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We, through the columns of the Avalanche, acknowledge with sincere appreciation the kind expressions of sympathy and kindnesses shown us in our late bereavement.

Mrs. L. J. Kraus and children, Mrs. A. Kraus and family.

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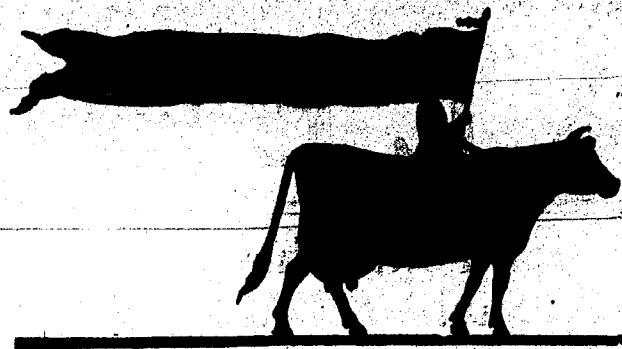
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Other bargains in Infants', and two and three year old Coats, Sweaters and Mittens. Ladies' and Misses' Hockey Caps, Gloves, Scarfs and Hosiery. We will show you more when you call.

**Ten Days Only Starting SATURDAY, Nov. 20**  
Ending Tuesday, Nov. 30, at the  
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## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



"At this time there is a stirring call for men and women who believe in the Republic, who will uphold the Constitution, who oppose radicalism, who foster Americanism, and who, with firm hands, help hold America true to its course." —Miss Bina M. West, Port Huron, Mich.

### Keep the Plow Going

How much fall plowing have you done this fall? We well know that there has been a lot of poor weather this fall; still, we believe that a farmer who is really filled with determination to prosper and to push ahead, could have found many days and many part days in which he could have plowed an acre or even part of an acre.

As long as the ground is not frozen in the plow should be, and safely could be, kept going on our sandy soils which take no harm from plowing while wet. A light fall of snow need not stop fall plowing. This means an earlier start in the spring, a large acreage of crops next year, less feed to buy; more prosperity.

Some find a way to get a lot of fall plowing done. Some do not. Will some one tell us what makes the difference?

### Agriculture in Rural Schools

If the county contains a rural teacher who has done anything about teaching agriculture in school, the writer will be grateful to hear from that teacher a brief account of what has been done and what is planned to do this winter.

If there is a parent or a taxpayer in the county who has spoken encouragingly to a teacher about agriculture in the home school, or has asked a school officer or a school board that at least a little attention be given to the elementary things in agriculture this fall and winter, it will refresh the county agent like a drink of water on a hot day, to hear from that parent or taxpayer.

Have we any teachers or parents or taxpayers who care at all?

### Spring Flowers in The School Yard

Have we a teacher who has thoughtfully planted this fall, in the proper place in the school yard, a few bulbs of crocus or tulip or daffodil or jonquil or narcissus? We name these particular flowers because they come from bulbs that should be planted in the late fall. We name them because they may be planted safely in unfenced school yards, and because they will bloom and be enjoyed in the spring before school closes. We name these flowers because the schools need this humanizing influence.

### Fifty for Two Dollars

These bulbs are cheap. The writer can point to plenty of places where fifty good tulip bulbs can be bought for two dollars. School boards could afford to buy them. Parents would do well to aid and abet the teacher in getting them. An energetic teacher will find a way to get them.

### Help!

Is there a teacher; is there a parent; is there a taxpayer; is there an open-minded, generous school officer, who will help hasten the day when some of these finishing touches be given our rural schools?

### Top Dress

To those of our many farmers who have made a start with alfalfa we recommend that, as soon as the ground is frozen, a light, evenly-spread top-dressing of stable manure be applied to the alfalfa.

To those who have more alfalfa than they can cover with top dressing, we recommend that they put it on the poorest spots.

### Are They?

Are the strawberries mulched? Straw or marsh hay or leaves will do. Pays.

Are the raspberries pruned? Cut out and burn the canes that fruited last.

County school children should be reminded of these and many other timely things, and taught to do them, too. Telling of the operation later, in the language class, makes a practical exercise.

### Poor Farming Leads to The Poor Farm

And here is the complete story: "Sold!" which is what the sheriff said as he knocked the old farm down to the highest bidder. The reader will understand that the former owner had never used any fertilizer or lime, hadn't grown legumes and had let the manure pile rot away rather than haul it out. So, it is obvious that the sheriff would eventually have to say the word which now forms the complete text of the story.

### Some Corn

Ira C. Marshall of Hardin County, Ohio, grew 1800 bushels of shelled corn last year on ten acres of land, 180 bushels of shelled corn per acre! He fed the soil. Few of us may ever grow 180 bushels of shelled corn per acre, but it is certain that we all could grow more fodder and more grain if we used on the corn land the fertilizer that we waste by running through stable floors, by leaving stock in the barnyard, and by letting the manure pile back under the eaves of the barn.

### Pay It With Pullets

"Pay it with pullets" is the slogan of farm boys and girls of Tennessee who returned 1,910 standard brood pullets to the bankers who supplied them with eggs last spring on the "Return a pullet" payment plan. The boys and girls are members of pul-

lets, 8 daughters, her only son, several grandchildren, and a half in total in 8 grandsons.

Her highest record was 1,212 pounds of butter in one year. Two of her daughters have given over 1,000 pounds of butter each in one year.

### LOVELLS NEWS

A delightful time was had by the Pedro club Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duby. First prizes were won by Mrs. Turner of Redford and Howard Hoffman of Detroit. Consolation prizes were given to Bill Boatright and Mike McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman of Detroit are visiting Mrs. Hoffman's mother, Mrs. Lola Papenpus.

Miss Lorna Small of Mio is spending a few days with Miss Cora Nephew.

Miss Marcella Lux has gone away. Mr. Ben Woolever and George French of Saginaw are here hunting. Lovells seems alive once more as the deer hunters have arrived.

Clifton Anstey of Ashley is visiting at the home of Alfred Nephew, and also taking in the deer hunting. Otto Ryker and sister Olive of Midland are here for a few days.

Mrs. Bill and son Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Hennie of Saginaw are spending a couple weeks at the Bill cabin on Big Creek. Mrs. Bill's son-in-law, Claude Smith of Bay City is also staying at the cabin.

We hope to have a large crowd at the box social and dance to be given at the Douglas pavilion Friday evening, Nov. 19.

Mrs. Bill Paige is away visiting relatives.

Russel Caid of Detroit is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Caid during hunting season.

### FREDERIC NEWS

A number of people are afflicted with very bad colds.

Mrs. Irve Roe had the misfortune to fall while paper hanging and break her arm. This is the second time this has happened in the same old way.

Emmet Lewis of Detroit was here calling on old friends.

Mrs. Bruce Solomon of Twining is visiting her sister, Mrs. Crandall at the parsonage.

John Cameron an old resident, but now of Pontiac, also his son Arthur, wife and son are visiting at Corydon Forbush's and Oscar Charron's.

Some new faces at church Sunday evening. Good. Come again.

### SWOLLEN, RED EYES

Lavoptik Made Them Well  
"My eyes were blood-shot and swollen. A few applications of LAVOPTIK removed all redness." —W. W. Wheeler.

LAVOPTIK is a mild, soothing antiseptic which helps eye pains and inflammation surprisingly quick. Makes tired and weak eyes feel strong and fresh. Mac & Gidley, Druggists.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the village of Grayling in said County, on the 15th day of November A. D. 1926.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Louis J. Kraus, deceased.

Daisy B. Kraus, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration, execution and settlement of said estate be granted to said Daisy B. Kraus or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 20th day of December A. D. 1926 at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Merle F. Nellist, having filed in said court his final account as administrator of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

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